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LB 623

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a series of amendments to 623. There are E & R amendments, first of all.

PRESIDENT: Senator Johnson.

SENATOR R. JOHNSON: Mr. President, I move we adopt the E & R amendments.

PRESIDENT: Motion is to adopt the E & R amendments to 623. All those in favor say aye, Opposed no. Motion carried.

CLERK: Mr. President, the first amendment I have to the bill is by Senator Chambers.

PRESIDENT: Is Senator Chambers present? We will pass over the Chambers amendment. Is there another amendment on the desk, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Labedz also has an amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Labedz, your amendment is to be discussed if you are present.

CLERK: She has been excused temporarily I believe, Governor.

PRESIDENT: Go on to other amendments.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Landis would move to amend the bill. (Landis amendment appears on pages 489-490 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Senator Landis, do you want to take up your amendment now?

SENATOR LANDIS: I do, Mr. Speaker, and they are on your desk. They were provided to me by a part of the Bill Drafter's staff, Mary Sommermeyer, who in reviewing for E & R amendments found that perhaps some clarifying language beyond the scope of E & R amendments should be added. For example, where we have used "Clerk", we should perhaps insert the phrase "or Election Commissioner". We should broaden some provisions to include "any office in" on page 9, lines 25-27 so that candidates for any municipal office